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## Garden Notes

Local gardeners had a right severe jolt Tuesday when the thermometer registered two degrees below freezing and ice was plentiful. Tender vegetables were killed in many gardens while a few we have heard of saved theirs by protecting them. The more hardy vegetables stood the cold without serious injury and will grow with the coming warm days. The entire list of weather forecasts for an early spring were discounted by the freeze. Fruit was severely injured, much of it killed, tho it appears now that there will be enough peaches and plums for the year, with apples in more doubt, they not being as well grown were more hurt than peaches and plums.

We lost nothing in our garden except some tomato plants which had been transplanted. Corn and potatoes were cut to the ground but will both come out and make a crop just the same.

Several gardeners saved their snap beans by sprinkling well with cold water before they were allowed to thaw out Tuesday morning. This is a pretty good remedy for frosted vegetables.

All garden work has been progressing slowly this spring because of frequent rains that have kept the soil too wet to work much of the time. Few in this section have been dry enough to work at any time in the past three or four weeks and they are yet too wet.

Another inquiry last week about keeping onions. We have often advised growing onions from seed as the only way to get onions that will keep thru the winter. The white multiplying onion will keep without trouble most every year. And seed planted when the early garden is made, not too thick in the drill, will make good onions, larger than a dollar, and these will keep easiest of any kind of onion grown. Onions grown from sets will very rarely keep for any length of time after harvesting.

Strawberries can be set at any time from now till June with good chance of making a good big crop next year. They can be set in the fall, too, but that late will make but few berries next year. Every garden should have a few rows.

## Notice To Contractors

The undersigned will on the 19th day of April, 1921, at noon, at the court house in Somerville, Tennessee, let the contract for the work of construction of Laurel Creek Drainage District of Fayette County, Tennessee, and sealed bids for said work will be received up to said hour.

The construction work will consist of:

1. The clearing of the right of way of the main canal and laterals approximately 84 acres.
2. The excavation and digging of the main canal and laterals the estimated yardage aggregating approximately 112,300 cubic yards.

All of the work of the construction must be done according to the plans and specification and decrees of the Court in the matter of Laurel Creek Drainage District of Fayette County, pending in the County Court of Fayette County, Tennessee.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid.

The work must begin as soon as practicable after the contract is let and be completed by April 1st 1922.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and render void the letting of said work.

This the 23rd day of March, 1921,  
J. A. McNABB  
W. G. SHELTON  
J. L. MAYO  
Board of Directors of Laurel Creek Drainage District of Fayette County, Tennessee.

## How Diphtheria is Contracted

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when the truth was the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. If your child has a cold when diphtheria is prevalent you should take him out of school and keep him off the street until fully recovered, as there is a hundred times more danger of his taking diphtheria when he has a cold. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted.

## William Abram Rhea Sr.

One more, from the ranks of our beloved and honored Gray, has crossed over the river, which divides time from eternity.

Last Tuesday night, after an evening of pleasant conversation and singing of hymns, Mr. William A. Rhea Sr., laid down to sleep. As he slept, quietly without awakening any one, he answered his Great Captain, as command to come up higher. Mr. Rhea was a grandson of Matthew and Mary Rhea and the senior son of John and Elizabeth Rhea. He was born in Virginia near Bristol, on May 30 1844. At an early age he removed with his parents to Jonesborough, Tennessee, where his father was engaged in mercantile business.

At the opening of the Civil Contest he enlisted in the cavalry under Gen. Joseph E. Johnson and fought through the entire war. He was once wounded. He was brave, gallant and daring soldier. Danger seemed only an inspiration spurring on to endeavor. He was a man of pleasing personality and high ideals spurning with enduring hatred, anything little or mean.

He was a devoted son, and thoughtful husband, a kind and sympathetic father, a staunch and trusted friend.

Just following the war Mr. Rhea came to Fayette county and lived with in its bounds until late last summer, when he moved to Memphis.

February 1869 he was married to Miss Molly Irvin. To this union there were born five daughters and two sons. Two died in infancy. John Montgomery lived to be twenty seven years of age and died just fifteen years, to the day, before his father. He was the idol of home, a choice and noble spirit. These surviving him are Mrs. Lizzie Cobb, of Memphis, Mrs. Samuel Taylor and Mrs. Arthur P. Winfrey, of Somerville, and Mrs. Herman Butts, of Lexington.

He also leaves a sister, Mrs. Henry Lewis, of Memphis, his wife Mrs. Louise Rhea, and fourteen grandsons and daughters besides many relatives and friends who cherish his memory. After the loss of his first wife, Mr. Rhea was married, in January 1901, to Miss Louise Edmonson, who cheered, with tender affectionate devotion, his declining years. Ever at his side her thoughts seemed only of his pleasure and comfort.

Mr. Rhea took a stand for his Savior during the Inge meeting in Somerville, about 1892, and united with the Presbyterian church of this place. He lived a consistent Christian life as a private member and later as an elder. Naturally thoro and intense in everything he undertook, the same characteristics entered into his life as a Christian. His faith took firm hold upon the promises of God. During the last two years of failing health he waited in anticipation, at times almost eager, for his summons.

## THE BEST TEST

Is the Test of Time.

Years ago J. G. Knox, manager of gin mill of State St., Somerville told of good results from using Doan's Kidney Pills. Now Mr. Knox confirms the former statement—says there has been no return of the trouble. Can Somerville people ask for more convincing testimony?

Mr. Knox gave the following statement November 16, 1914: "I had been suffering from pain and lameness across my back and it got so bad, I couldn't stoop to put on my shoes. My kidneys acted too freely and I was obliged to get up at night to pass the secretions. Flashes of light appeared before my eyes and I was often dizzy. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and it wasn't long before these troubles disappeared. I highly recommend Doan's to other kidney sufferers."

On May 8, 1916 Mr. Knox said: "I can speak just as highly of Doan's Kidney Pills today, as I did in 1914 when I testified to their merits. The cure they made for me at that time has remained permanent and I know Doan's Kidney Pills can be depended upon for kidney ailments. I gladly endorse them again."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't tamely ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Knox had. Foster Milburn Co., Mfrs. Adv.

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT; it is both healing and antiseptic. Sold by Price Drug Co. adv.

## Things To Do on The Farm in April

April is a busy month for farmers in Tennessee. It is planting time for many crops and the farmer who has spent most of the time during the winter months in making plans and getting everything about the place in readiness for this period will find that things run much more smoothly than the farmer who has put everything off until the last minute.

The following activities for the operations in the field, with livestock, etc., are suggested by specialists of the Division of Extension:

### IN THE FIELD

Plant silage crops near the silo to reduce the haul. You need two fields, one for corn and sorghum, and the other for barley followed by Crimson clover. Alternate these crops on the two fields. Plant corn a little thicker than you would for grain growing and add 3 to 5 pounds of sorghum per acre in the same row. As soon as silage is cut, sow barley. Work the other field thoroly and sow Crimson clover to be pastured and turned under in preparation for silage crop next spring.

### WITH LIVESTOCK

Use self feeders for fattening hogs in Crimson clover field. If buying feed for work stock, remember 1 pound whole corn is worth a little more than 1 pound of whole oats. To cheapen ration, and secure better results feed work horses and mules 2 pounds cottonseed meal per head daily with other grain. Gauge the cotton seed meal ration of steers by the trend of the market. Graze grass lightly if at all; give dry feed in addition. Feed dairy cows some dry feed until pastures are good. Watch the market for fat stock, as April is often the high point. Change of sheep from dry roughage to pasture should be very gradual.

### CLUB WORK

A good ration for young pigs is equal parts of corn and wheat middlings with skim milk. Dairy calves and purebred beef calves may be fed ration of 3 parts cracked corn, 1 part wheat middlings and 1 part cracked oats. Bee club members begin work with one more colonies of bees in frame hives and two extra supers for each colony. Purebred queens are profitable. Clubs should continue meeting twice a month after school closes. Set out tomato plants.

### FARM ENGINEERING

Keep the plow going and plow deep. Use cultipacker if the seed bed is cloddy. Make a dipping vat for lice and ticks. Drag the roads after every rain. Investigate farm truck. Save labor by using gang plow. Get a good line spreader. Keep tractor going early and late with plenty of water and oil. Keep plow points sharp.

### HEALTH HINTS

Screen your homes. Cut down your meat diet by increasing vegetables and fruits. Plan for balanced ration. Since warm weather is approaching get the oil stove in readiness and make a fireless cooker if you have not one.

## Three Valuable Bulletins on Health for Every Home

The importance of diet in health or disease can hardly be estimated, says Mrs. Lena A. Warner, health and sanitation specialist, Division of Extension in a recent bulletin entitled "Feeding the Sick." This bulletin may be secured from county agents or by writing to the Division of Extension. It is publication 93.

Two other bulletins by Mrs. Warner that should find a place in every home are: "Home Care of the Sick," and "Make War on the Fly." The first is No. 82 and the other No. 90. Another publication entitled "To Keep People Well" by Dr. O. L. West, may also be had. It tells of the work of the State Board of Health, giving some valuable information. It is publication 92.

All of the publications may be secured from county agents or by writing to the Division of Extension. Call for them by number—the are free.

## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

The great benefit derived from the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been gratefully acknowledged by many. Mrs. Benjamin F. Blakeney, Decatur, Ill. writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is by far the best medicine for colds and coughs we have used in our family. I gave it to my children when small for croup and have taken it myself."

## Moscow

An Easter Egg hunt Friday was a source of pleasure for the little ones.

Mrs. J. N. Hooker has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Owen.

Would you be ashamed to have the public see the sanitary condition of your present surroundings? If so then better have same put in a cleanly condition.

W. E. Sides who has been in ill health for some months died at his home near here Monday. The remains were interred at Friendship Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Smith spent the week end with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Roach.

Our people regret exceedingly to lose Mr. W. I. Cowart as agent of the Southern Railway at this point. In fact all three of the attaches of the local office, Mr. W. C. Moore, G. P. Crawford and Mr. Cowart have been most pleasing with the public and it is unfortunate to the patrons of the office that one of these gentlemen must be replaced.

Report of the condition of Mrs. F. B. Ashford whose condition necessitated her being taken to hospital in Memphis Friday, continues favorable.

Some of our northern friends who believe the negro is badly treated in the south should know of the attention given an old friendless negro woman known as "Aunt Till" for the past few months by Mrs. Bryn M. Mrs. Canine Crosssett and Mrs. Boyd Burnette. These good ladies deserve much credit for their kindness and care of the negro, who died Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Ethel Simmons, teacher of the Williston school spent the Sabbath with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Ware.

The heaviest rainfall since the local weather bureau was established here fell last night. The local observer, Mr. Julius Crosssett informs us that a fall of 4.99 was registered last night, while the heaviest last fall was 4.55. All trains over the Southern were delayed several hours during Monday.

Mr. H. J. Hazelwood will resume his duties as Carrier on Route Two from the local office April 1.

## Champion Pig Grower of Tennessee to Be Given Trip to International

Armour & Company of Chicago Illinois, has offered to the State champion pig club member a trip with all expenses paid to the International Livestock Show next November, according to an announcement just made by G. L. Herrington, State Club Leader.

Last year 500 club boys and girls from the United States and Canada attended the International, and this has come to be considered one of the most valuable prizes that can be awarded club boys and girls.

There is no special plan by which this valuable prize can be won, and the best suggestion to the hundreds of competitors in Tennessee is that each club member should go right ahead with whatever plans of pig club work he has taken, says Mr. Herrington.

It has not been a custom in the past to hold a State pig club contest since contests for the four districts of Tennessee at Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville and Memphis are held. The results of the most successful boys in these four districts will be compared and the State champion pig club member will be determined in that way.

## Keep After the Fly

Rome was not built in a day—neither can Tennessee be freed from flies in so short a time, but uncle Sam eradicated them in a comparatively short time in Panama by the same method county agents, and others are advocating—cooperation.

A flyless home means greater comfort and less sickness. Less sickness means lower cost of living:

1. Swat the fly.
2. Clean up fly breeding places.
3. See that your home is well screened.

Swat! Swat! Swat! That's What. What's That? What they All Swat. What Do They All Swat? FLIES!

Bad breath, bitter taste, dizziness and a general "no account" feeling is a sure sign of a torpid liver. HERBINE is the medicine needed. It makes the liver active, vitalizes the blood, regulates the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness.

## Put Business into Farming Campaign Conducted in Hamblen County with Good Results

More and more farmers are realizing that they must keep some kind of a record on their farm operations. Hundreds are finding that farm bookkeeping is essential to efficient farm management.

Here again the county agents now employed by many counties in cooperation with the Division of Extension University of Tennessee, are rendering a valuable service to farmers. During the month of January Agent D. Stout conducted a "Put Business Into Farming" campaign in Hamblen county, with very gratifying results.

Twenty-two farmers agreed to keep records this year and Mr. Stout assisted them in taking inventories and in making a general survey of their farming operations. The bankers of the county took an active part in the campaign. They supplied Mr. Stout with a very simple book in which the farmers can keep a record of their receipts and expenses. One year from the date the inventories were made the business of the year will be analyzed according to the blank provided in Farmers' Bulletin No. 1159. This will bring the work of the year graphically to mind so that the farmers may see all the sources of their income—what nets most, where their labor goes and where the weak places are.

Ben Alley, one farmer of the county, who was already keeping books on his farm operation, assisted materially in the campaign. He stated to Mr. Stout that he has found that the business man, bankers especially, give him a new recognition because of the publicity given him as a farmer who uses real business methods. One man passing by Mr. Alley's farm—which, by the way, is not a large one—stopped and said: "I understand that you are doing things right, out here. Tell me about your farm and how you run it."

In making surveys in the interest of the campaign Mr. Stout found a potato house that cost \$75 to build but no potatoes were grown on the place. He found another farmer using 8 to 10 tons of crushed limestone per acre when a more economical application would bring about the same results. He explained to the farmers that there was nothing criminal about it—just bad business. With this start agent Stout hopes to spread the idea very substantially in January next year. Mr. Stout states that publicity given the campaign thru the newspapers was a great help in putting it across.

## A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes weak and lame back, rheumatism and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—adv. tf

A prudent mother is always on the watch for symptoms of worms in her children. Paleiness, lack of interest in play, and peevishness is the signal for WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. A few doses of this excellent remedy put an end to the worms and the child soon acts naturally. Sold by Price Drug Co. adv.

## Notice

Why let your cattle die of Blackleg and Hemorrhagic Septicemia when you can have them vaccinated by paying a little cash and the balance on credit until fall.

See

Dr. John H. Gillmann

Lightfoot Bldg. Somerville, Tenn.

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## Potato Growers

At a meeting of the Fayette County Potato Growers Association, held at the Court House Saturday March 26th, the following permanent officers were elected, A. H. Harvey, chairman, N. M. Gibson, secretary, advisory board S. F. Catron, R. B. Young, A. H. Harvey and N. M. Gibson.

It was decided by the association to buy Nancy Hall seed potatoes. These have been ordered by the secretary and should arrive the last of the week if weather conditions permit. The following acreage has been pledged.

L. F. Catron 3 acres, J. A. McNabb 10 acres, A. H. Harvey 3 acres, N. M. Gibson 5 acres, Phil Tourman 1 acre, J. T. Burns 5 acres, Harry Wallace, acre, Elba Allen 3 acres, L. S. Bryson 3 acres, Chas. Dickinson 2 acres, J. B. Claxton 2 acres, Dr. A. O. Boals 1 acre, S. P. Crawford 1 acre, Hal Stainback 1 acre, J. C. Kelly 1 acre, J. C. Bextor 1 acre, Mr. Hall 2 acres, R. T. Seymour 2 acres, James Brown 1 acre.

In addition to the above the colored people have pledged themselves as follows: J. C. Carroll 1 acre, Chas Taylor, 1 acre, Paul Person 1 acre, Rev. Taylor 1 acre, Sam Finney 1 acre, John Harris 1 acre, Sam Smith 1 acre, Lula E. Mebane 1 acre, Henry Falls 1 acre, Tobe Stilt 1 acre, John Alexander, 2 acres, Taylor Wilson 1 acre, L. H. Hutchins 1 acre, Thuston Shields 1 acre, Robt Lamt. 1 acre, George Cosby 1 acre, Joe Bailey 1 acre, Trusty Glass 1 acre, Margeratta Hunt 1 acre, Joseph Williams 1 acre, Annie Hunt 1 acre, Laura Smith 1 acre.

Miss Annie Brasfield, our popular County agent, gave us the pleasure of her attendance and said she would take up potato growing in her club work. We wish to thank Capt. H. C. Mourman and W. M. Mayo, for the interest and help they are taking in the association, also Mr. Loggins for publicity in his paper. Our next meeting will be Saturday April 2nd, at the court house at 2 p. m. Everybody cordially invited. Ladies come and bring your husbands.

N. M. GIBSON Sec.

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